

TO: Porter Road, Porter Circle, and Porter Park Residents & Businesses

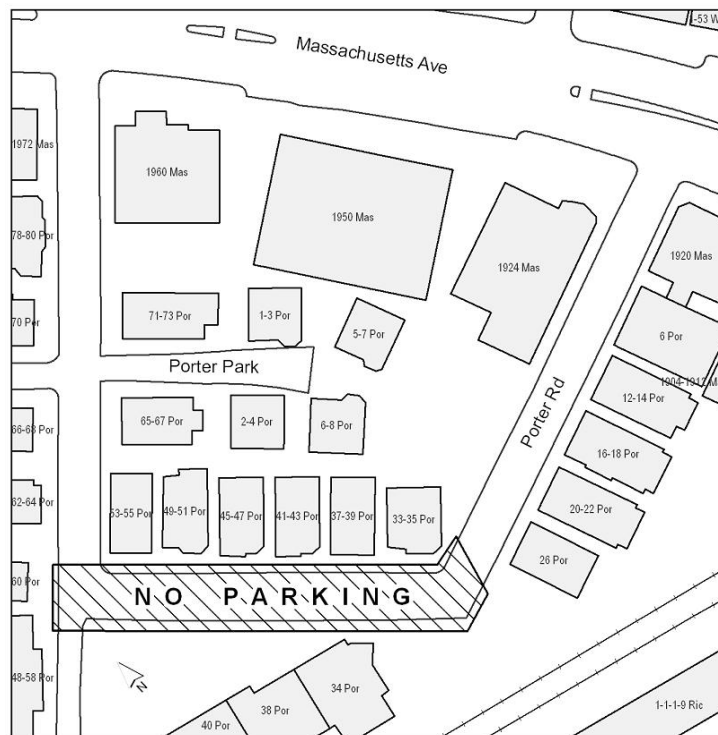
**CONSTRUCTION UPDATE
Porter Road Work**

Beginning on or about May 24, 2006 (weather permitting), J. F. White Contracting Company, the City's Contractor for the Porter Square Drainage and Surface Improvements Project, **as well as the City of Cambridge's DPW Department**, will resume roadway improvements work along Porter Road. This work will take approximately 6 to 8 weeks to complete.

The work and schedule is as follows:

- May 24 to approximately week of July 17. J.F. White will be installing a cast-in-place concrete slab at the end of Porter Rd.
- June 5 to approximately week of July 17. The City DPW will be putting in new sidewalks and resetting curb on both sides of Porter Rd.
- July (schedule TBD). J.F. White will mill and grind Porter Rd for final paving. A notice will be issued to the neighborhood prior to the start of this work.

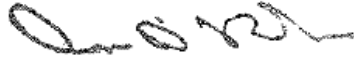
Parking. During this timeframe, parking will be restricted on either side of the road from corner to corner (see graphic below). **"No Parking"** signs will be posted 24-hours in advance of all parking restrictions and construction zones. Limited nighttime parking on Porter Rd will be made available whenever possible and driveway access will be maintained.



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Alternate Daytime Parking: Alternate Daytime Parking for approximately 12 vehicles will be available for Porter Rd residents on Somerville Ave along the sidewalk in front of the T. To obtain an alternate daytime parking permit, you must contact Chief Resident Engineer, Bruno Cardarelli, at the number listed below and make an appointment. (See attached information.)

If you have any questions or concerns during this construction, please contact Bruno Cardarelli, Chief Resident Engineer for S E A Consultants, at (617) 234-0030, or Judy Kavanagh, Community Relations Manager for S E A Consultants at (617) 498-4776/ judith.kavanagh@seacon.com.



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Porter Road Drainage and Roadway Improvements Work

Information on Alternate Daytime Parking for Porter Rd Residents

Alternate Daytime Parking during the work on Porter Rd, for approximately 12 vehicles, will be available to residents. **This parking is located on Somerville Ave along the sidewalk in front of the T. Valid hours for parking are from 7:00 AM until 5:00 PM.** Residents who wish to sign up for parking in this area must follow this procedure:

- **To sign up for a space.** Contact Bruno Cardarelli, Chief Resident Engineer, at 617/ 234-0030 to schedule an appointment to sign-up for a parking space.
- **Identification.** When you meet with Bruno to sign-up for a space, a Driver's License and Automobile Registration will be required in order to fill out the application. Bruno will retain the original application, and will give a copy to J. F. White, the Contractor, and to you, the owner of the vehicle. In case any situation should arise where a vehicle will need to be moved, these people will be able to contact you.
- **Parking Permit.** You will be issued a temporary daytime parking permit that is required to be hung on your vehicle's internal mirror for the entire length of time you are allowed to park on Somerville Ave.
- **No Longer in Need of Alternate Daytime Parking.** If you have a temporary Daytime Parking Permit and are no longer in need of alternate parking, please return the permit to Bruno Cardarelli at his 1972 Mass Ave field office. This will provide parking for other residents who may also need alternate daytime parking during this construction activity.

****Please note that the City of Cambridge, S E A Consultants Inc., the City's engineering consultant and J. F. White Contracting are not liable for damage done or theft of your car and/or its contents while parked on Somerville Ave.**